UNIFIED SAN DIEGO COUNTY EMERGENCY SERVICES ORGANIZATION OPERATIONAL AREA EMERGENCY PLAN

ANNEX A

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT (INCLUDING MANAGEMENT AND EOC OPERATIONS)

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EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

I. GENERAL

A. Purpose

- 1. To describe how emergencies will be managed within the San Diego County Operational Area.
- 2. To describe the organization and operation of Emergency Operations Centers (EOCs).

B. Objectives

- 1. To provide a basis for centralized control, coordination, and direction of emergency operations.
- 2. To describe the Emergency Operations Center functional responsibilities under the California Standardized Emergency Management System (SEMS).

C. Plan Activation and Termination

This Annex is automatically activated when a jurisdictional/Operational Area Emergency Plan is activated and terminated when one of the referenced Emergency Plans is terminated.

II. EMERGENCY OPERATIONS

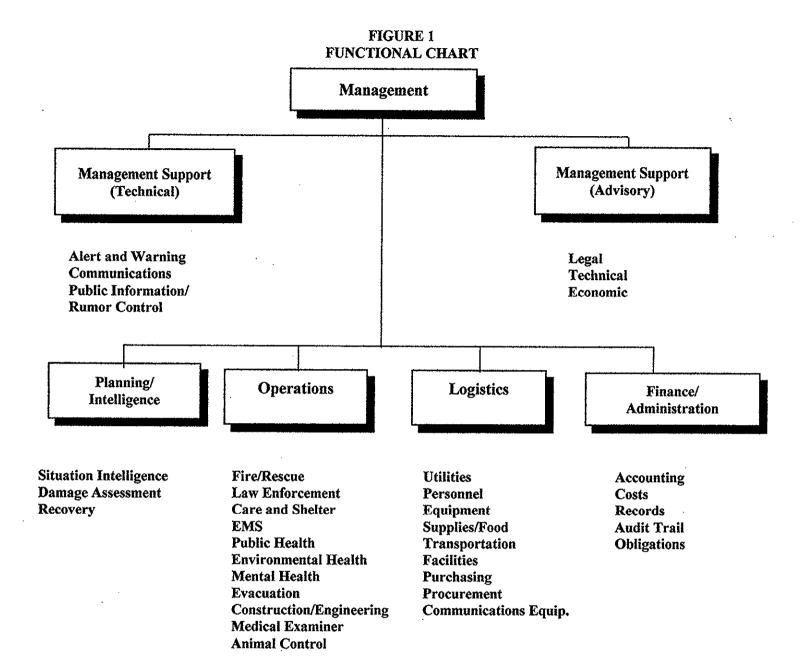
A. Coordination

Coordination within the Management group in the EOC is one of the keys to successful response operations. When decision makers are together in one location, staff and resources can be utilized in the most effective manner. This section includes directors or representatives of County Departments, selected and led by the Director/Coordinator of Emergency Services (Chief Administrative Officer) or his/her designee, or directors or representatives of City departments, led by the City Director of Emergency Services (City Manager) or their designee and Directors of Special Districts affected by the disaster.

When a disaster occurs, communication and coordination with Operational Area/County/City Departments, Special Districts, other cities, news media, state and federal agencies, and all others "outside" of the EOC, must be accurate and consistent with the Management guidelines and directives.

The San Diego County Operational Area Emergency Plan has been designed to follow the Standardized Emergency Management System (SEMS).

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B. Priorities

The following are priorities when conducting and coordinating disaster operations:

- 1. Meeting the immediate needs of people (rescue, medical care, food, shelter, clothing).
- 2. Restoration of facilities, whether public or privately owned, that are essential to the health, safety and welfare of citizens (sanitation, water, electricity, road, street, and highway repair).
- 3. Meeting the rehabilitation needs of people (temporary housing, food stamps, employment, etc.).
- 4. Providing for the recovery of the community to, at least, its pre-disaster state.

C. Emergency Operations Center

The EOC is one of the most important elements in the coordination of successful response and recovery operations. With centralized decision making, personnel and other resources can be utilized more effectively. Coordination of activities ensures that all tasks are accomplished with little or no duplication of effort, and with the highest probability of success.

Day-to-day operations are conducted from departments and agencies that are widely dispersed throughout the Operational Area. When a major emergency or disaster occurs, centralized Management is needed to facilitate a coordinated response by the Chief Administrative Officer (CAO) as Coordinator of Emergency Services for the Operational Area (if elected to that position by the Unified Disaster Council), as Director of Emergency Services for the County, City Managers, emergency services personnel, and representatives from special districts and private sector organizations with assigned emergency responsibilities. The EOC provides a central location of authority and information, and allows for face-to-face coordination among the personnel who direct local services in response to a disaster.

The following activities are performed in the EOC:

- Receipt and dissemination of warning.
- Collection and analysis of situational information (see Annex N, Damage Assessment and Recovery for forms).
- 3. Management and coordination of emergency operations.
- 4. Collection, analysis, and reporting of damage data.
- 5. Provision of emergency information and instructions to the public.

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- Maintenance of liaison with support agencies, other jurisdictions, and other levels of government.
- 7. Coordinate: a) the analysis of radioactive fallout and other hazards and b) the recommendation of countermeasures.

D. Declarations of Emergency

- 1. Local Emergency Proclamation
 - In the event of a disaster or condition of extreme peril to persons and property within a jurisdiction which is beyond the capability of local responders to manage, the Board of Supervisors fills the role of initiating a Proclamation of Local Emergency for the entire Operational Area. The CAO, City Councils or City Managers may also proclaim a Local Emergency. If made by the CAO or a City Manager, the Proclamation must be ratified by the Board or City Council within seven days. In either case, the Proclamation must be made within ten days of the occurrence to qualify the County or City for State assistance. In the case of Special Districts, they would request that the Operational Area make the proclamation for them. See Attachment A for sample proclamations.
 - b. A Local Emergency may be proclaimed due to such events as flood, fire, severe storm, earthquake, epidemic, drought, sudden and severe energy shortage, or hazardous materials incident.
 - c. The Proclamation accomplishes the following:
 - (1) Provides public employees, the Board of Supervisors and City Councils with legal immunities for emergency actions taken.
 - (2) Enables the Board of Supervisors to act as a Board of Equalization, to reassess damaged property and provide property tax relief.
 - (3) Allows the CAO (or other authorized official designated by County Ordinance 8183) to:
 - (a) Establish Curfews
 - (b) Take any preventive measures necessary to protect and preserve the public health and safety
 - (c) Exercise other authorities as established by Ordinance 8183 (i.e. to issue new rules and regulations, expend funds, or to obtain vital supplies and equipment).
 - d. The Board or City Council shall review at its regularly meetings, the need for continuing the local emergency proclamation at least every 14 days, however, reviews shall not take place more than 21 days after the previous review. The Board

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or City Council should proclaim the termination of the local emergency at the earliest possible date.

2. State of Emergency

- a. After or as part of the Proclamation of a Local Emergency, the Board, or City Council may request (by resolution) that the Governor proclaim a State of Emergency. A copy of the request for a Governor's Proclamation, with the following supporting data, must be forwarded to the Director, State of California Office of Emergency Services (OES), through the Operational Area:
 - (1) Copy of the Local Emergency Proclamation,
 - (2) Damage Assessment Summary information (See Annex N).
- b. The Governor's State of Emergency allows for the following:
 - (1) Mandatory mutual aid may be exercised.
 - (2) The Governor has the authority to commit State resources, for example, National Guard, California Conservation Corps (CCC crews).
 - (3) The Governor may request the President to declare an Emergency or Major Disaster.

3. Presidential Declaration

After or as part of a Proclamation of a State of Emergency, the Governor may request that the President declare an Emergency or Major Disaster. The Presidential Declaration allows for Federal disaster assistance and resources.

III. EOC ORGANIZATION (See Figure 1)

During emergency operations, the EOC, in accordance with the Standardized Emergency Management System, is organized into five major functional areas. They are: (a) Management, (b) Operations, (c) Planning/Intelligence, (d) Logistics, and (e) Finance/Administration.

There are a number of procedural responsibilities common to all of the sections. They are: gathering information and verification; making decisions; coordinating; briefing; advising; following procedures; providing, notifying and scheduling staff; and keeping comprehensive records.

A. Management

The Management Section consists of those responsible for the overall management of the emergency. This group includes the Director of Emergency Services (CAO or City Manager) and the directors or representatives from the County/City departments and/or Special Districts affected by the emergency.

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The responsibilities of this Section are:

- 1. Manage EOC functions and coordinate the overall response/recovery effort, including prioritizing, decision making, coordination, tasking, and conflict resolution within the EOC.
- 2. Report to the Board of Supervisors or City Council.
- 3. Report to State OES through the Operational Area.
- 4. Interiorisdictional coordination.
- 5. Activation, including notification and recall, and deactivation of the EOC.

Management Support - Technical and Advisory

Management Support is intended to provide technical expertise and advice to the EOC Manager and the management group. Key positions include: the Communications Officer, Public Information Officer, Legal Counsel and other advisors as appropriate. Some key responsibilities are:

- 1. Communications, including the Communications Center, equipment repair, and alternate systems.
- 2. Alert and warning.
- 3. Emergency public information.
- 4. Rumor control.

The advisors participate in the EOC at the request of the CAO/City Manager.

B. Planning/Intelligence

The Planning Section is responsible for gathering, analyzing, evaluating, and disseminating technical information and making recommendations to the EOC Manager. While Operations is concerned with immediate strategic response to the disaster, Planning is looking and planning ahead. Planning's function is to maintain information on the overall response effort and to develop the EOC Action Plan for the next operational period.

The major responsibilities of this Section are:

- 1. Situation Intelligence, including information gathering, verification, status reporting, and maintaining maps and displays.
- 2. Damage Assessment, including information gathering, verification, and reporting.
- Message control.

- Record keeping.
- Briefing EOC staff.
- Scheduling.
- 7. Radiological protection

C. Operations

The Operations Section includes all activities which are directed toward the reduction of the immediate hazard, establishing control, and restoration of County/City/Special District operations. This Section consists of those departments or agencies that are responsible for public safety and carrying out response activities. The individual agencies receive and evaluate requests for assistance and resources, establish priorities, and relay operational status and information to the Management Section. In larger emergencies some may also have coordinating roles such as the Area Fire Coordinator or Area Law Enforcement Coordinator (Sheriff). The County Health Officer also has an area-wide coordinating role in some types of emergencies.

Among those usually represented in the Section are Fire, Rescue, Law Enforcement, Public Works, Emergency Medical Services, Environmental Health, American Red Cross (Care and Shelter), Health and Human Services Agency and the Medical Examiner.

The overall responsibility of this Section is to coordinate with field operations.

D. Logistics

The Logistics Section consists of those departments with responsibilities for the procurement and payment of personnel and equipment necessary for the management of and recovery from the emergency. The Logistics Section coordinates the procurement and provision of emergency resources and support for the response and recovery operations being conducted in the field. The Operational Area EOC Logistics Section coordinates the procurement and provision of emergency resources and support for the entire Operational Area.

In the Operational Area EOC this Section includes such County departments as Purchasing, Auditor, General Services, Public Works, Housing and Community Development, Health and Human Services Agency, and Agriculture; as well as specialists such as water or utility company representatives.

E. Finance/Administration

The Finance/Administration Section is responsible for all finance, emergency funding and cost accountability functions for EOC operations and for supervising branch functions providing financial and contracting services for EOC operations within its jurisdiction. Some of these functions may include:

Financial expenditure and funding briefings.

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- 2. Interagency financial coordination.
- 3. Finance and contract fact-finding.
- 4. Fiscal and emergency finance estimating.
- 5. Operating procedure development and financial planning.
- 6. Labor expense and accounting.
- 7. Cost analysis, cost accounting and financial auditing.
- 8. Disbursement and receivables management.
- 9. Necessary funding transfers.
- 10. Special drafts, exchanges and lending controls.
- 11. Payroll administration.
- 12. Emergency currency, script and rationing control.

IV. EOC FUNCTIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES

The following lists the functional responsibilities for local Emergency Operations Centers (EOCs). Individual jurisdictions may have different names for some of the departments or personnel within their jurisdictions, but the responsibilities will be similar.

A. Management (see Annex A, Emergency Management)

1. Purpose

To provide leadership in the EOC, determine policies and priorities, and manage the overall response within the jurisdiction's boundaries.

2. Personnel

Local government and Special District department heads serve in the Management Section at the discretion of the jurisdiction's Emergency Services Director and /or EOC Manager. The following list provides a probable staffing for a major event:

- a. Chief Administrative Officer (CAO)/City Manager, Director
- b. Emergency Services Coordinator (Director of ODP or the city's Emergency Services Coordinator)
- c. Sheriff/Law Enforcement

- d. Area Fire Coordinator liaison representative
- e. Medical Examiner representative (if required)
- f. Director, Department of Public Works/Community Services
- g. Health and Human Services Agency
- h. Director, Department of General Services

3. Responsibilities

- a. Ensure long-range, logistical, and recovery planning.
- b. Maintain active liaison with other jurisdictions and the Operational Area.
- c. Ensure emergency proclamations are made.
- d. Keep the Board of Supervisors/City Council informed.

B. Fire and Rescue Operations (see Annex B, Fire and Rescue Mutual Aid Operations)

Fire

1. Purpose

To coordinate fire, rescue and emergency medical services response within the jurisdiction. To establish liaison between the Emergency Operations Center and field operations, as well as to facilitate prioritization of fire resource needs during emergency operations.

2. Personnel

Designated liaison from the appropriate fire agency.

3. Responsibilities

The Fire Chief will assign a liaison to the Emergency Operations Center, who will:

- a. Establish communications between the Fire Dispatch Center and the EOC.
- b. Keep the Operations Section informed of critical activities and pending needs of the fire agency(ies) responding to the emergency.
- c. Coordinate with other functional groups, such as Law Enforcement, Evacuation, Care and Shelter, etc., as required.

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Rescue

1. Purpose

To coordinate the efforts to search for trapped and injured persons and extricate them safely and quickly.

2. Personnel

- a. Fire Chief, or designee, in Management.
- b. Fire representative, as Rescue Coordinator, in Operations.
- c. Law Enforcement personnel.
- d. Other agency representatives as needed, from both the public and private sectors.
- 3. Responsibilities include support for field operations which include:
 - Search for victims.
 - b. Extricate and evacuate victims.
 - Stabilize buildings and sites, using debris tunneling, shoring, and other methods.
 - d. Provide field medicine and life-support.
 - e. Transport non-ambulatory victims.

C. Law Enforcement (see Annex C, Law Enforcement Mutual Aid Operations)

1. Purpose

To coordinate the law enforcement response during a disaster. To coordinate the evacuation, dispersal or relocation of persons from threatened or hazardous areas to less threatened or safe areas.

2. Personnel

- a. The Sheriff/Chief of Police or a designated representative in Management.
- b. A Sheriff/Police representative in law enforcement operations in the Operations Section,
- c. Other personnel, as needed.

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3. Responsibilities

- a. Coordinate law enforcement response within the jurisdiction.
- b. Coordinate and liaison with appropriate agencies for traffic control and route recovery.
- c. Coordinate movement of persons from hazardous areas, including evacuation and traffic control.
- d. Ensure transportation for disabled persons, the elderly, and persons without vehicles.
- e. Ensure access control measures to prevent unauthorized persons from entering vacated, or partially vacated, areas.
- f. Provide for the procurement, allocation and use of transportation resources and law enforcement resources, by means of mutual aid or other agreements.

D. Medical (see Annex D, Multi-Casualty Plan)

1. Purpose

To coordinate disaster medical operations within the Operational Area through the procurement and allocation of public and private medical resources; the activation and operations of Field Treatment Sites (FTSs); the transportation of casualties and medical resources; and the relocation of patients from damaged or untenable health facilities. This function will be coordinated at the Operational Area EOC. All personnel and functions detailed below will be present at the Operational Area EOC.

2. Personnel

- a. Management Medical Director, Emergency Medical Services (EMS)
- b. Operations
 - (1) Chief, EMS
 - (2) Disaster Medical Coordinator
 - (3) EMS Staff as needed

3. Responsibilities

a. Coordinate the procurement and allocation of the medical resources required to support disaster medical operations.

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- b. Coordinate the transporting of casualties and medical resources to health care facilities, including FTSs, within the area and to other areas, as requested.
- Organize a system for staffing and operating FTSs and Disaster Support Areas.
- d. Request and respond to requests from the Regional Disaster Medical/Health Coordinator (RDMHC) for disaster assistance.
- e. Maintain status of medical resources, transportation, and communication services within the Operational Area.
- f. Maintain liaison with the Red Cross, volunteer service agencies, and other representatives within the Operational Area.
- g. Maintain liaison with the coordinators of other emergency functions such as communications, fire and rescue, health, law enforcement and traffic control, transportation, and care and shelter.
- h. Coordinate and provide support to medical activities at the scene.

E. Public Health (see Annex E, Public Health Operations)

1. Purpose

To coordinate public health operations within the Operational Area, by providing preventive health measures and communicable disease control. This function will be coordinated at the Health and Human Services Agency-Department Operations Center (DOC). All personnel and functions detailed below will be present at the HHSA Health Department DOC.

2. Personnel

- a. Management Director, Health and Human Services Agency or designee
- b. DOC Operations
 - (1) County Health Officer or designee
 - (2) Chief, Public Health Nursing or designee
 - (3) Chief, Public Health Education or designee
 - (4) Chief, Community Disease Control or designee
 - (5) Chief, Public Health Laboratory or designee

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3. Responsibilities

- a. Coordinate the procurement and allocation of public health resources required to support disaster public health operations.
- b. Request and respond to requests from the Regional Disaster Medical/Health Coordinator for disaster assistance.
- c. Maintain status of public health resources within the Operational Area.
- d. Coordinate all public health related activities among other local public and private response agencies or groups, as well as state and federal agencies.
- e. Provide preventive health services.

F. Medical Examiner (see Annex F, Office of the Medical Examiner Operations)

1. Purpose

To manage medical examiner operations during a disaster.

2. Personnel

- a. The Medical Examiner or designated representative in Management.
- b. Disaster Control Staff Coordinator, in the Operations Section.
- 3. Responsibilities are to establish and manage all medical examiner operations, including the following:
 - a. Medical Examiner Emergency Teams
 - b. Body Staging Areas
 - c. Temporary morgues and transportation
 - d. Identification and listing of victims
 - e. Notification of next of kin
 - f. Emergency procurement and allocation of supplies and resources
 - g. Request mutual aid, if required

G. Care and Shelter Operations (see Annex G, Care and Shelter Operations)

1. Purpose

To assure the provision of food, shelter, clothing and basic welfare needs to the victims of disaster; to establish contact and coordination with the American Red Cross (ARC) and provide assistance, as required.

2. Personnel

- a. Designated Care and Shelter Coordinator.
- b. Liaison personnel from the Red Cross (as assigned).

3. Responsibilities

- a. Care and Shelter Coordinator
 - (1) Coordinate local government support to the Red Cross.
 - (2) Coordinate resource and mutual aid requests between the Red Cross and other government departments or agencies.
 - (3) Provide care and shelter to disaster victims until the Red Cross or other private disaster relief organizations are able to fulfill that responsibility.

b. Red Cross Liaison

- (1) Maintain contact with Red Cross Headquarters and keep the Care and Shelter Coordinator informed of Red Cross operations during the disaster.
- (2) Make requests to Care and Shelter Coordinator for assistance in providing care and shelter to disaster victims.

H. Environmental Health (see Annex H, Environmental Health Operations)

1. Purpose

To coordinate environmental health operations within the San Diego Operational Area by providing environmental health protection associated with disasters.

2. Personnel

- a. Management Director, Department of Environmental Health or designee
- b. Operations

- (1) Deputy Director, Environmental Health, or designee
- (2) Chief, Hazardous Materials Division, or designee
- (3) Chief, Food and Housing Division, or designee
- (4) Chief, Land and Water Quality Division, or designee
- (5) Senior Health Physicist, Hazardous Materials Division, Radiological Health Branch, or designee
- (6) Chief, Community Health Division, or designee

3. Responsibilities

- a. Coordinate procurement, allocation and distribution of environmental health resources required to support disaster environmental health operations.
- b. Supervise food delivery system and assist in water supply, waste disposal, and housing.
- c. Establish methods and procedures for vector and rodent control activities.
- d. Advise on all occupational hazards as they occur.
- e. Identify hazardous materials released, evaluate risks to the general public, and advise on mitigation measures to modify or reduce environmental health impact.

I. Communications (see Annex I, Communications)

1. Purpose

To describe the various communication systems available throughout the Operational Area. This includes systems used by Operational Area agencies and certain mutual aid frequencies common to almost all law enforcement and fire agencies.

Personnel

Various agencies and organizations.

3. Responsibilities

Provide and maintain communications in the San Diego Operational Area for day-to-day and disaster operations.

J. Construction and Engineering (see Annex J, Construction and Engineering Operations)

1. Purpose

To coordinate the allocation of engineering resources (construction equipment, materials, etc.) required for emergency debris clearance, route recovery, shelter construction, and other engineering operations.

2. Personnel

- a. The Director of the Department of Public Works or designated representative in Management.
- b. Assigned representative in the Operations Section.
- c. Assigned representative in the Logistics Section.

3. Responsibilities

- a. Develop and maintain current records of road conditions throughout the Operational Area during emergencies.
- b. Restore, maintain and operate essential services within the jurisdiction such as roads, sewers and drainage facilities.
- c. Construct emergency facilities, such as bridges.
- d. Assist in search and heavy rescue.
- e. Assist in providing for repair, modification and/or construction of emergency facilities and housing.
- f. Maintain an inventory of sources and provide for procurement and allocation of heavy construction equipment.
- g. Manage and coordinate jurisdictional transportation facilities.
- h. Maintain an inventory of sources and provide for procurement and allocation of transportation resources.

K. Logistics (see Annex K, Logistics)

1. Purpose

To coordinate the procurement and provision of emergency resources and support and advise the Emergency Services Director on resource allocations, distribution, priorities, expenditures, and related matters.

2. Personnel

- a. Deputy Director Purchasing and Contracting Division of General Services, or designee
- b. Public Works representative
- c. Chief Technology Office representative

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- d. Auditor's representative
- e. Department of Human Resources (DHR) representatives.
- f. Housing and Community Development representative.
- g. Utility representatives (Operational Area EOC only).
- h. Representatives from private industry, including "Plan Bulldozer" signatory contractors, as required.
- i. American Red Cross representatives (Operational Area EOC).

3. Responsibilities

Logistics:

- a. Implement emergency resources functions through pre-designated assignments from the Management group.
- b. Procure and allocate essential resources (personnel, services and material) to support emergency operations.
- c. Oversee the distribution and inventory of food stocks and other essential supplies for emergency subsistence.
- d. Procure and allocate required transportation, fuel and similar equipment resources.
- e. Provide for maintenance and repair of telecommunications, potable water systems, government-owned electrical, sanitation, and other utility systems and services.
- f. Acquire, inspect and provide supplies for care and shelter facilities, multipurpose staging areas and fixed or mobile clinical and medical facilities.
- g. Establish control of resources in a manner compatible with the Operational Area Emergency Plan.
- h. Provide accountability of resources requested and expended.

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L. Public Information (see Annex L, Emergency Public Information)

1. Purpose

To provide the public with accurate and timely information and instructions through the news media.

2. Personnel

- a. Assistant Media and Public Relations Manager/jurisdictional Public Information Officer, Coordinator
- b. Media Team/PIO staff
- c. Departmental liaisons as required.

3. Responsibilities

- a. Secure briefings from EOC staff
- b. Give regular briefings to news media representatives
- c. Act as jurisdictional spokespersons
- d. Prepare and disseminate news releases
- e. Prepare and disseminate Life Saving Information For Emergencies (LIFE) and Emergency Alert System (EAS) messages for release by the Operational Area EOC. Requests from other jurisdictions for LIFE/EAS messages will be disseminated upon request.
- f. Coordinate media interviews with jurisdictional officials.
- g. Monitor news reports and correct inaccurate information.
- h. Maintain liaison with Public Information Officers (PIOs) from other agencies and jurisdictions.
- i. Notify the news media of any changes in EOC status.

M. Mental Health (see Annex M, Mental Health Operations)

1. Purpose

To coordinate mental health disaster response operations within the Operational Area by providing outreach, intervention and emergency psychological services. (Operational Area EOC only).

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2. Personnel

- a. Community Mental Health Disaster Coordinator
- b. Assistant Disaster Coordinator

3. Responsibilities

- a. Coordinate mental health intervention services for disaster victims and emergency response personnel, as well as the general public.
- b. Maintain status of mental health resources, including facilities and personnel within the Operational Area.
- c. Coordinate all mental health related activities among other local public and private response agencies or groups, as well as state and federal agencies.
- d. Provide mental health debriefing sessions for EOC staffs.

N. Damage Assessment and Recovery (see Annex N, Damage Assessment and Recovery)

1. Purpose

To coordinate the gathering and reporting of damage during and following a disaster, using an effective system of response.

2. Personnel

- a. Damage Assessment Coordinator
- b. Field Operations/Field Survey Coordinator
- c. Financial Estimate Coordinator
- d. Data Entry staff

3. Responsibilities

- a. Coordinate jurisdictional Damage Assessment Team.
- b. Report situation and damage to Operational Area EOC. The Operational Area EOC will coordinate with the State Office of Emergency Services.
- Coordinate and maintain files of all field survey reports.
- d. Coordinate and maintain all records during recovery phase.
- e. Coordinate dollar estimates for damage assessment.

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- f. Coordinate field operations/field survey teams.
- g. Follow up on field reports in order to provide tax exemptions to owners of damaged private property. (Operational Area EOC only)

O. Animal Control (see Annex O, Animal Control)

1. Purpose

To provide immediate care and control of animals in the event of a major emergency or disaster and protect the health and safety of the community.

- 2. Personnel
 - a. Director, jurisdictional Animal Control Agency
 - b. Assigned representative in Operations Section
- 3. Responsibilities
 - a. Coordinate emergency Animal Control operations.
 - b. Develop and organize a system to identify and track animals received during a disaster.
 - c. Develop criteria establishing holding time and euthanasia standards for disaster situations.

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Office of Disaster Preparedness

4-24-00

Date

ATTACHMENT A-1

UNIFIED SAN DIEGO COUNTY EMERGENCY SERVICES OPERATIONAL AREA

PROCLAMATION OF LOCAL EMERGENCY

(By Board of Supervisors/City Council) (Page 1 of 2)

WHEREAS, Ordinance No the Board of Supervisors/City Council to n	of the County/City of proclaim the existence or threatened existence	empowers
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of the County/City of	creating that a Local Emergency ncy shall be deemed to continue to exist a City Council.	exists throughout said
Emergency the powers, functions, and d	IED AND ORDERED that during the extuties of the Director of Emergency Service cose prescribed by state law, charter, ordinant Supervisors/City Council.	es and the emergency
	MED AND REQUESTED that the Gove County to be in a State of Emergency and r San Diego County.	
IT IS FURTHER PROCLAIMI	ED AND ORDERED that the Director of En	mergency Services and
of the County/City of	are hereby designated as the auti- for the purpose of receipt, proces	sing, and coordination
of all inquires and requirements necessar	y to obtain available state and federal assista	ince.

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PROCLAMATION OF LOCAL EMERGENCY

(By Board of Supervisors/City Council) (Page 2 of 2)

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this Proclamation of Local Emergency be forwarded to the San Diego County Operational Area, for forwarding to the State Director of the Governor's Office of Emergency Services with a request that;

- 1. The State Director find the Proclamation of Local Emergency acceptable in accordance with provisions of the Natural Disaster Assistance Act; and that
- 2. The State Director forward this Proclamation and request for a State Proclamation and Presidential Declaration of Emergency to the Governor of California for consideration and action.

		Supervisors/City Council of the County/City of fornia, this day of,,	
following vote:	.		
Ayes:			
Noes:			
Absent:			
I hereby certify th Board of Supervis		rect copy of the Original entered in the minute	s of the
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Date:		Ву:	

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ATTACHMENT A-2

UNIFIED SAN DIEGO COUNTY EMERGENCY SERVICES OPERATIONAL AREA

PROCLAMATION OF LOCAL EMERGENCY

(by Director of Emergency Services)
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WHEREAS, Ordinance No of the County/City of
empowers the Director of Emergency Services to proclaim the existence or threatened existence of a
Local Emergency when said county/city is affected, or likely to be affected, by a public calamity and the
Board of Supervisors/City Council is not in session; and
WHEREAS, the Director of Emergency Services of the County/City of
does hereby find that conditions of extreme peril to the safety of persons and property have arisen within
said county/city, caused by
(fire, storm, epidemic, riot, earthquake, or other cause) commencing on or aboutm. on the day of,; and
WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors/City Council of the County/City of
is not in session and cannot immediately be called into session; and
WHEREAS, this Proclamation of Local Emergency will be ratified by the Board of Supervisors/City
Council within seven days of being issued.
NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY PROCLAIMED by the Director of Emergency Services for the County/City of, that a Local Emergency exists throughout said county/city and that said Local Emergency shall be deemed to continue to exist until its termination is proclaimed by the Board of Supervisors/City Council.
IT IS FURTHER PROCLAIMED AND ORDERED that during the existence of said Local Emergency the powers, functions, and duties of the Director of Emergency Services and the emergency organization of this county/city shall be those prescribed by state law, charter, ordinances, and resolutions of this jurisdiction and by the Operational Area Emergency Plan as approved by the Board of Supervisors/City Council.
IT IS FURTHER PROCLAIMED AND REQUESTED that the Governor of the State of California find and proclaim San Diego County to be in a State of Emergency and that he/she request a Presidential Declaration of Emergency for San Diego County.
IT IS FURTHER PROCLAIMED AND ORDERED that the Director of Emergency Services and the are hereby designated as the authorized representatives of
the County/City of for the purpose of receipt, processing, and coordination
of all inquires and requirements necessary to obtain available state and federal assistance.

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UNIFIED SAN DIEGO COUNTY EMERGENCY SERVICES OPERATIONAL AREA

PROCLAMATION OF LOCAL EMERGENCY

(by Director of Emergency Services)
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IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this Proclamation of Local Emergency be forwarded to the San Diego County Operational Area, for forwarding to the State Director of the Governor's Office of Emergency Services with a request that;

- 1. The State Director find the Proclamation of Local Emergency acceptable in accordance with provisions of the Natural Disaster Assistance Act; and that
- 2. The State Director forward this Proclamation, and request for a State Proclamation and Presidential Declaration of Emergency, to the Governor of California for consideration and action.

 PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Director of Emergency Services for the County/City of, State of California, this day of	
Director of Emergency Services	

ATTACHMENT A-3

UNIFIED SAN DIEGO COUNTY EMERGENCY SERVICES OPERATIONAL AREA

PROCLAMATION RATIFYING LOCAL EMERGENCY PROCLAIMED BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICES

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WHEREAS, Ordinance No of the County/City of empowers the Director of Emergency Services to proclaim the existence, or threatened existence, of a Local Emergency when said County/City is affected, or likely to be affected, by a public calamity and the Board of Supervisors/City Council is not in session subject to ratification by the Board of Supervisors/City Council within seven days; and
WHEREAS, such Proclamation entitles the Director of Emergency Services, and the emergency organization of this County/City, to all the powers, functions, and duties prescribed by state law, charter, ordinances, and resolutions of this jurisdiction and by the Operational Area Emergency Plan during the existence of said Local Emergency; and
WHEREAS, conditions of extreme peril to the safety of persons and property did arise within this County/City caused by
County/City caused by
WHEREAS, the Director of Emergency Services of the County/City of
WHEREAS, said Proclamation requested the Governor of the State of California to find and proclaim San Diego County to be in a State of Emergency and that he/she request a Presidential Declaration of Emergency for San Diego County; and
WHEREAS, said Proclamation designated as the authorized representatives of the County/City of for the purpose of receipt, processing, and coordination of all inquires and requirements necessary to obtain available state and federal assistance; and
WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors/City Council does hereby find that the aforesaid conditions of extreme peril did warrant and necessitate the Proclamation of Local Emergency and request for State Proclamation and Presidential Declaration of Emergency.

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UNIFIED SAN DIEGO COUNTY EMERGENCY SERVICES OPERATIONAL AREA

PROCLAMATION RATIFYING LOCAL EMERGENCY PROCLAIMED BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICES

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Emergency and request for a State Proclama County issued by the Director of Emergency	OLVED AND PROCLAIMED that the Proclamation of Local tion and Presidential Declaration of Emergency for San Diego Services on,, is hereby ratified and
confirmed.	
	Board of Supervisors/City Council of the County/City of
following vote:	
Ayes:	
Noes:	
Absent:	
I hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, tra Board of Supervisors/City Council.	ne and correct copy of the Original entered in the minutes of the
	Clerk of the Board of Supervisors/City Clerk
Date:	Ву:

ATTACHMENT A-4

UNIFIED SAN DIEGO COUNTY EMERGENCY SERVICES OPERATIONAL AREA

RESOLUTION FOR ______CONTINUANCE OF LOCAL EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, Ordin	ance No	of the County/City of		empowers the Board
WHEREAS, Ordir of Supervisors/City Council to is affected, or is likely to be af	proclaim the e fected, by a put	xistence, or threatened exist plic calamity; and	ence of a Local Emergency	when said jurisdiction
		risors/City Council did find		
(fire, flood, storm, epiday of	demic, earthqua _; and	ke, drought, etc.), did arise	within said County/City, o	commencing on the
WHEREAS, the B within said jurisdiction on the Diego County to be in a state and	day of	visors/City Council did pro	equested the Governor of (California proclaim San
WHEREAS, Gove reaffirmed by the governing be in effect; and	rnment Code, ody of the effec	Section 8630, requires the cted jurisdiction every 14 de	at Proclamations of Local ays during the time the Local	Emergency must be cal Emergency remains
WHEREAS, condit to exist, and continue to be be-	ions of extreme yond the control	peril to the safety of person of local resources, services	s and property caused by sa personnel, and equipment;	aid emergency continue
NOW, THEREFO	RE, BE IT RE	ESOLVED that the Board on that the Local Emergency	of Supervisors/City Council which first began on the	of the County/City of day of
, continues to exist	t.	0 ,		
BE IT FURTHER	hereby issues	that the Board of Superviso this Resolution	rs/City Council of the Council of Continuance of Local	nty/City of Emergency reaffirming
	RESOLVED	that said Local Emergency ervisors/City Council.	shall continue to exist for	an additional 14 days
IT IS FURTHER (County Operational Area and t	ORDERED that to the State Dire	at a copy of this Proclamatic ector of the Governor's Office	on of Continuance be forward the of Emergency Services.	arded to the San Diego
PASSED AND AD, San Diego County, St	OPTED by the ate of California	Board of Supervisors/City a, this day of	Council of the County/City	of
Ayes: Noes: Absent:				
I hereby certify that the forego Supervisors/City Council.	oing is a full, t	rue and correct copy of the	Original entered in the m	inutes of the Board of
			Clerk of the Board of Su	pervisors/City Clerk
Date:			Ву:	

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UNIFIED SAN DIEGO COUNTY EMERGENCY SERVICES OPERATIONAL AREA

PROCLAMATION TERMINATION OF LOCAL EMERGENCY

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WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors/City Con	uncil of the County/City of
σ . /σ ¹	ty of persons and property have arisen within said
County/City caused by (fire, flood, storm, epidemic, earthough the county of th	
(fire, flood, storm, epidemic, eartho	quake, drought, etc.) commencing on
, and	
WHEREAS. the Board of Supervisors/City	Council issued/ratified a Proclamation of Local
Emergency on, and	
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	used by the emergency are now deemed to be within
the control of the normal protective services, personnel,	equipment, and facilities of said County/City.
NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS PROCLAIMED	AND ORDERED by the Board of Supervisors/City
Council of the County/City of	State of California, that said
Council of the County/City of Proclamation of Local Emergency issued/ratified on	, is hereby terminated.
	DERED that the emergency powers, functions, and
duties of the Director of Emergency Services and the eme	
by said Proclamation of Local Emergency and as prescrib	bed by state law, charter, ordinances, and resolutions
of this jurisdiction, are terminated.	
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of the	is Proclamation of Termination of Local Emergency
be forwarded to the San Diego County Operational Area	
of Emergency Services.	t wild to the suite substituted and developed to strike
	pervisors/City Council of the County/City of
, San Diego County,	State of California, this day of,
, by the following vote:	
Ayes:	
Noes:	
Absent:	
I hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and corre Board of Supervisors/City Council.	ect copy of the Original entered in the minutes of the
	Clerk of the Board of Supervisors/City Clerk
Date:	By:

ATTACHMENT B

WARNING SYSTEM

I. GENERAL

The warning system is the means to relay to the public notices from the local, State or Federal government of impending or actual disaster or attack. Appropriate responses and the most effective use of warning information may be limited by the amount of time available.

A. Actions

Warning actions are characterized by requiring high priority for a short period of time, the use of mass media systems for passing warning to the public, the small number of workers necessary to operate the system, the demand for fast activation of the system on short notice, and the need to maintain readiness to repeat all actions in the event of successive alerts or attacks.

The National Warning System (NAWAS) sends out warning information, which is received at the Sheriff's Communication Center and relayed to the Office of Disaster Preparedness (ODP). Members from local governments, schools, the news media, and industry are then notified by means of the Lifesaving Information for Emergencies (LIFE) System. The public is then warned by means of the Emergency Alert System (EAS) and any other means, including mobile loudspeakers, when appropriate. The EAS is a national system which is activated by the President. It can also be activated by Operational Area authorities for local use. EAS is discussed further on page 2.

Alternate means of warning are via the California Law Enforcement Telecommunications System (CLETS), public safety radio systems, and the Radio Amateur Civil Emergency Services (RACES) network.

Notice of warning is also broadcast from the various county and city communications centers to special facilities (schools, hospitals, fire stations, utility stations, etc.). Key workers of emergency organizations may be alerted by telephone or radio. The EAS and LIFE Systems provide coverage for a large part of the population.

B. Warning Information

Authorized EAS stations will broadcast warning information as requested under the EAS Operational Area Agreement.

C. Warning Signal - Peacetime Emergencies

Warning of an extraordinary peacetime emergency may be received by local government over the California Law Enforcement Telecommunications System (CLETS), public safety radio systems, NAWAS, the LIFE System, and/or other means. The attention or alert signal is not used in this Operational Area.

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II. EMERGENCY ALERT SYSTEM (EAS) AND LIFESAVING INFORMATION FOR EMERGENCIES (LIFE)

A. Emergency Alert System (EAS)

1. General

The State of California has been divided into "EAS Operational Areas" for the purpose of disseminating emergency information. (Refer to the County's EAS Operational Area Plan.)

The San Diego EAS operational area encompasses the entire County. Two stations, KOGO (AM 600) and KPOP (AM 1360), have been provided with back-up generators. Other authorized stations continue to operate as conditions permit. There are several radio stations in the San Diego County Operational Area that broadcast in foreign languages to reach the non-english speaking public.

All authorized stations in each EAS operational area broadcast a common program. A "program entry point" has been established for each EAS area. Emergency services authorities for each jurisdiction will prepare emergency information and action instructions pertinent to the people of their respective jurisdictions, which will be routed to the designated program entry point for broadcast.

2. Operational Considerations

Authorized stations continue to broadcast on regular assigned frequencies during any type of emergency. They broadcast their call letter identification and the area identification. Listeners are advised to monitor those stations which serve the area in which they are located, since EAS announcements may vary according to the area served.

3. Facilities

The program entry point for the San Diego EAS operational area is the Operational Area EOC. Emergency information will be routed to the program entry point. The primary EAS station serving the San Diego EAS Operational Area is KOGO 600 AM and the alternate EAS station is KPOP 1360 AM. The majority of local radio and television stations that are operational after a disaster will be broadcasting emergency information.

B. Lifesaving Information for Emergencies (LIFE)

1. General

The Office of Disaster Preparedness has developed the LIFE system for the purpose of disseminating emergency information and warnings in times of emergency.

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2. System Operation

The LIFE system uses the County radio facilities at the Operational Area EOC. The LIFE messages of public information can be received at participating broadcast stations and public/private facilities on special monitor receivers.

3. System Access

The LIFE system is available to the jurisdiction's officials (Mayor, City Manager, Police Chief, Fire Chief etc.) and can be accessed via ODP. If telephone service is not available to the jurisdiction, programming requests should be passed over the RACES radio system to the Operational Area EOC.

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DISASTER ASSISTANCE

Depending on the type of disaster, certain types of Federal disaster assistance may be made available after there has been a Presidential Disaster Declaration. Disaster assistance is also possible without a Presidential Declaration. In this case, only State and local assistance would be available.

Some of the Agencies that may be able to provide assistance include:

I. Federal

A. Small Business Administration (SBA)

Provides information about and takes applications for low-interest home and business loans.

B. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD)

Along with local and State resources, provides temporary housing, assistance, and guidance relating to existing FHA loans and other low-interest loans, limited home repair, and rental and mortgage payment assistance.

C. United States Department of Agriculture (USDA)

Provides assistance and guidance relating to existing Farmers Home Administration and Rural Electrification Act loans and other low-interest loans.

D. Internal Revenue Service (IRS)

Sometimes is represented and provides income tax assistance.

E. Other Federal agencies that may be able to provide assistance are the Veterans Administration, Social Security Administration, Health and Human Services, and the Food and Drug Administration.

II. State

A. Office of Emergency Services

Serves as the lead agency for the State

B. Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS)

Provides Individual and Family Grants

C. Employment Development Department

Provides State unemployment compensation for eligible disaster victims and, if implemented, disaster unemployment compensation. It also furnishes information related to employment and vocational retraining.

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D. Department of Housing and Community Development

Provides temporary housing and building inspection to qualified applicants.

E. Department of Veterans Affairs

Provides assistance to victims whose homes or farms are financed under the Cal Vet program.

F. Other possible representation from the State includes the State Contractors Licensing Board, for contractor assistance, and the State Franchise Tax Board, for Income Tax assistance.

III. In general, local government's role is supportive.

A. Office of Disaster Preparedness (ODP)

Serves as the lead agency for the Operational Area.

B. Health and Human Services Agency (HHSA)

In cooperation with the Red Cross, receives and distributes food and clothing from government and private sources and provides for other personal needs. Provides eligibility workers to do the intake and exit interviews.

C. Department of Planning and Land Use (DPLU), Codes Division/City Planning Departments

Provides staff to make available information about building permits, zoning and other regulatory requirements.

D. Department of Planning and Land Use, Building Division/City Building Inspectors

Provides building inspectors to inspect homes for safety and needed repairs.

E. Departments of Public Works (DPW)

If requested, provides staff to make available flooding information, including protective measures that can be taken. Also, if requested to do so, may provide staff to read and interpret inundation maps.

F. County Assessor

After some disasters, provides staff to accept applications for reappraisal.

G. Department of Environmental Health (DEH)

If requested, provides staff for: information regarding public health matters such as safety of water and food supplies, adequacy of sewage disposal, and methods of rodent control.

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H. Health and Human Services Agency (HHSA)

Provides mental health counselors to assist disaster victims.

IV. AMERICAN RED CROSS (ARC)

In coordination with State and County welfare agencies, conducts registration and referral services and provides for individual and family needs; for example, food, clothing, shelter, and supplemental medical assistance.

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EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT EOC - EMERGENCY ACTION CHECKLIST RESPONSE TO A MAJOR EARTHQUAKE

Action	Responsibility
Ensure that mobile and aerial survey units are dispatched to survey for damage, flooding, fires or other hazards.	Planning and Intelligence
Verify reports; poll field units and key facilities to determine situation in their vicinity and ability to function.	Planning and Intelligence
Determine if Emergency Operations Center (EOC) should be activated.	Jurisdictional Emergency Services Coordinator
Activate emergency forces if substantial damages are reported.	Operations
If the jurisdiction is in a dam inundation area, determine if failure of the dam is considered possible.	Planning and Intelligence
Monitor communications to determine situation in other areas.	Planning and Intelligence
Determine if support is required to other jurisdictions.	Planning and Intelligence
Make the determination to dispatch mutual aid to other jurisdictions.	Management
Check operation of dispatch and reporting systems. If necessary, provide alternate communications links.	Logistics
Determine condition of medical support and health facilities.	Operations
Determine status of utilities and transportation routes.	Planning and Intelligence

Emergency Management Earthquake Response

<u>Action</u> <u>Responsibility</u>

Advise key personnel of results of damage survey

Planning and Intelligence

IF LITTLE OR NO DAMAGE IS REPORTED, PREPARE TO SUPPORT MORE HEAVILY DAMAGED JURISDICTIONS.

IF EXTENSIVE DAMAGE IS REPORTED, TAKE THE FOLLOWING ACTIONS AS APPROPRIATE.

Activate EOC. EOC Manager/ Emrg.

Services Coord.

Activate Emergency Public Information (EPI) procedures.

Management

Poll field units and key facilities to determine extent of damage Planning and Intelligence

and ability to function.

Direct emergency self-help instructions to be broadcast to the public.

Management

Activate emergency medical care system. Operations

Set up first aid stations as required. Operations

Activate Field Treatment Sites as required. Operations

Consider evacuation if any dam failures are reported or are imminent.

Management

Order evacuation of all unsafe structures and areas. Incident Commander,

Operations

Obtain proclamation of a LOCAL EMERGENCY

Management

Request that the Governor proclaim a STATE OF EMERGENCY,

Management

if required.

Ensure that rescue operations of trapped people are underway Operations

Clear routes as needed to support fire and rescue activities.

Operations

Obtain and provide engineering equipment needed for heavy rescue.

Logistics

Establish access controls into damaged areas damaged areas.

Operations

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Emergency Management Earthquake Response

<u>Action</u>	Responsibility
Request medical support as needed.	Medical
Provide for traffic control.	Operations
Expedite movement of emergency units.	Operations
Supervise first aid and movement of casualties to health facilities.	Operations
Obtain transportation, supplies, personnel and equipment needed by emergency forces.	Logistics
Determine condition of designated mass care facilities.	Planning and Intelligence
Direct opening of mass care facilities.	Operations
Activate Multi-purpose Staging Areas as destination points for mutual aid.	Logistics

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EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT EOC - EMERGENCY ACTION CHECKLIST RESPONSE TO HAZARDOUS MATERIAL INCIDENT

Action	Responsibility
Establish communication with on-scene Incident Command Post.	Operations
If required, activate Emergency Operations Center (EOC).	EOC Manager/Emrg. Services Coordinator
Ensure that Hazardous Incident Response Team is dispatched to scene.	Operations
Ensure that State Office of Emergency Services (OES) is notified of incident.	Management
If required, obtain proclamation of a LOCAL EMERGENCY.	Management
If required, request that the Governor proclaim a STATE OF EMERGENCY.	Management
Activate the damage assessment and reporting system.	Planning and Intelligence
Collect and evaluate incoming information.	Planning and Intelligence
Post pertinent information on status boards and maps, and maintain other essential records.	Planning and Intelligence
Obtain estimates of area that may be affected by release of the hazardous material.	Planning and Intelligence
Determine if evacuation is necessary.	Incident Commander/ Operations
Direct implementation of public warning and movement operations as required.	Operations
Activate the care and shelter system and open shelters if required.	Operations
Ensure that all essential emergency services are activated.	Management
Establish contact with appropriate state agency coordinators.	Operations
Coordinate activities of private hazardous materials clean-up companies.	Operations
Establish priorities for emergency procurement and allocation of available resources.	Operations

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Emergency Management Hazardous Material Response

<u>Action</u>	Responsibility
Report situation and support requirements to the OES Mutual Aid Region Office.	Management
Activate Emergency Public Information procedures.	Management
Request communications assistance from telephone company, RACES, ARES, or others as required.	Logistics
Request assistance from the OES Mutual Aid Region Office as required.	Management

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EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT EOC - EMERGENCY ACTION CHECKLIST RESPONSE TO IMMINENT/ACTUAL FLOODING

FLOODING EXPECTED

Action	Responsibility
Place Emergency Operations Center (EOC) Staff on standby.	Director/EOC Manager
Initiate sand bagging and other mitigation activities.	Operations
Direct appropriate agencies to stockpile additional sandbags, shovels, and other needed resources.	Management
Activate Emergency Public Information procedures.	Management
Advise persons in flood-prone areas to prepare for evacuation.	Operations
Place emergency services on standby.	Operations
Test primary and alternate communications	Operations
Move emergency vehicles from facilities in areas subject to immediate flooding.	Operations
If flood appears imminent, initiate warning and evacuation of potential inundation areas.	Operations
Report situation and support requirements to the Office of Emergency Services (OES) Mutual Aid Region Office.	Management

Emergency Management Flood Response

FLOODING OCCURS

Action	Responsibility
Activate EOC.	EOC Manager
Activate warning procedures.	Operations
Activate evacuation procedures.	Operations
Activate search and rescue teams.	Operations
Direct the placement of sandbags.	Operations
Request communications assistance from telephone company, RACES, ARES or others, as required.	Logistics
Direct that utilities be shut off in flooded areas.	Management
Direct opening of mass care facilities, if necessary.	Operations
Report situation and support requirements to OES Mutual Aid Region Office.	Management
Direct law enforcement agencies to establish access controls around flooded areas.	Operations
Warn areas subject to additional or immediate flooding.	Operations
Direct the testing of drinking water for purity in areas that could be affected by flooding	Operations
Establish traffic controls to permit return of displaced people when re-entry is feasible.	Operations
Obtain proclamation of a LOCAL EMERGENCY	Management
Request that the Governor proclaim a STATE OF EMERGENCY.	Management

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EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT RESPONSE TO IMMINENT/ACTUAL DAM FAILURE EOC - EMERGENCY ACTION CHECKLIST

DAM FAILURE IMMINENT

<u>Action</u>	Responsibility
Attempt to avoid dam failure by requesting the release of water from the reservoir, if feasible.	Management
Activate warning system and order evacuation of predesignated evacuation area.	Operations
Proclaim a LOCAL EMERGENCY.	Management
Activate and staff Emergency Operations Center (EOC).	EOC Manager
Broadcast instructions directing evacuees to reception areas, using designated evacuation routes.	Management
Search the evacuation area to ensure that people have received warning.	Operations
Report to the OES Mutual Aid Region Office any ordered evacuation and the area involved.	Management
Provide assistance in the evacuation of of institutionalized people in the threatened area.	Operations
Provide traffic controls for evacuation operations.	Operations
Provide transportation, supplies, equipment and personnel.	Logistics
Establish access controls to vacated areas.	Operations
Keep EOC informed of evacuation progress.	Operations

Emergency Management Dam Failure Response

DAM FAILURE IMMINENT (Continued)

Action	Responsibility
Place emergency medical and health components on standby.	Operations
Activate first aid facilities in reception areas.	Operations
Mobilize care and shelter components.	Operations
Activate mass care facilities in reception areas.	Operations
Receive, shelter and care for evacuees.	Operations
Develop preliminary estimate of homeless and inform the EOC. Periodically update.	Operations
Prohibit entry into vacated area until it is determined that area is safe.	Operations
When re-entry is feasible, establish traffic controls to permit return of displaced people.	Operations

Emergency Management Dam Failure Response

DAM FAILURE OCCURS

Action	Responsibility
If not already accomplished, warn people in inundation area and order evacuation.	Operations
If not already accomplished, proclaim a LOCAL EMERGENCY and activate and staff EOC.	Management
Inform the OES Mutual Aid Region of the situation and support requirements.	Management
If required, request that the Governor proclaim a STATE OF EMERGENCY.	Management
Collect and evaluate incoming damage assessment reports.	Planning and Intelligence
Initiate search and rescue in affected areas.	Operations
Establish access controls.	Operations
Inform EOC of evacuation progress.	Operations
Mobilize emergency medical and health components	Operations
Activate first aid facilities in reception areas.	Operations
Mobilize care and shelter components.	Operations
Activate mass care facilities in reception areas.	Operations
Receive, shelter and care for evacuees.	Operations
Request needed supplies, equipment, and support services.	Operations
Develop preliminary estimate of homeless and inform the EOC; periodically update.	Operations
Prohibit entry into vacated area until area is safe to re-enter.	Operations
Establish traffic control needed to permit return of displaced people when public re-entry is feasible.	Operations